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Title: Fuel Cell Assembly

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE **BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner date, March 23, 2007 rejecting the following claims ___ 1, 2, 6-16, 18, 19, 21-23 and 44 The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(B)) \$500.00. (complete (a) or (b) as applicable)

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.13 6(a) apply. (a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (FEES; 37 CFR 1.17 (a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:

	1st Month \$120		2nd Month \$450		3rd Month \$1050		4th Month \$1590
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(b) Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and

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Respectfully submitted.

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